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TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Marvin J. Southard, D.S.W.  
Director of Mental Health

SUBJECT: **AMENDMENTS TO MENTAL HEALTH LEGAL ENTITY AGREEMENTS**

Pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director of Mental Health by your Board, this is notification of the execution of 41 amendments to existing Legal Entity Agreements, Specialized Agreements, and Medi-Cal Professional Services Agreements (Individual Providers) processed in the month of October, as follows:

1. **Amendment No. 2 (DMH-01151) with Plaza Community Center, Inc.**, revises the amount owed by the Contractor under the Settlement Agreement from \$839,133 to \$959,656 for Fiscal Years (FY) 1998-1999 and 1999-2000.
2. **Amendment No. 11 (DMH-01201) with El Centro de Amistad, Inc.**, adds \$7,962 in AB 3632 (SB 90) funds for FY 2002-2003.
3. **Amendment No. 9 (DMH-01265) with Stirling Academy, Inc. dba Stirling Behavioral Health Institute**, adds \$426,003 in AB 3632 (SB 90) funds for FY 2002-2003.
4. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01398) with Victor Treatment Center, Inc. dba Willow Creek Treatment Center**, adds new service site located at 2915 Little Mountain Drive, San Bernardino, CA 92405. Also, increases the daily rates to \$160 per day for Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (SED) hearing children and \$215 per day for SED deaf children.
5. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01408) with Mental Health Association in Los Angeles County**, adds County General Funds (CGF) funded by Sales Tax Realignment revenue in the amount of \$45,000 to the Maximum Contract Amount (MCA) for FYs 2004-2005 and 2005-2006 to provide three (3) additional peer advocacy training sessions.
6. **Amendment No. 9 (DMH-01502) with Child and Family Guidance Center**, replaces the Financial Summary in Amendment No. 8 to correctly reflect the

previously approved shift of CalWORKs funds in the amount of \$25,000 from CalWORKs direct services for FY 2003-2004.

7. **Amendment No. 8 (DMH-01526) with Los Angeles Unified School District**, increases Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) – Federal Financial Participation (FFP) in the amount of \$40,711 and EPSDT – State General Funds (SGF) in the amount of \$674,500 for FY 2003-2004.
8. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01652) with Mental Health Association in Los Angeles County**, adds CGF funded by Sales Tax Realignment revenue in the amount of \$502,440 to the MCA to provide additional peer advocacy services for Provider Number 7018 for FYs 2004-2005, 2005-2006, and 2006-2007.
9. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01815) with Pacific Clinics**, reduces the MCA by \$190,000 of CGF for FYs 2004-2005 and 2005-2006 to redirect funding not utilized by the Contractor.
10. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01849) with Westside Center for Independent Living, Inc.**, adds Sales Tax Realignment revenue funds in the amount of \$50,000 to the MCA to provide additional peer advocacy training sessions for FYs 2004-2005 and 2005-2006.

***The following 11 amendments to Legal Entity Agreements (11 to 21) add Supportive and Therapeutic Option Program (STOP) funds to the MCA for FY 2004-2005 only:***

11. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01630) with Aspen Community Services**, adds \$64,321.
12. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01639) with Dubnoff Center For Child Development and Educational Therapy, Inc.**, adds \$100,000.
13. **Amendment No. 2 (DMH-01643) with The Guidance Center**, adds \$42,857.
14. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01767) with ChildNet Youth and Family Services, Inc.**, adds \$42,857.
15. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01777) with D'Veal Corporation dba D'Veal Family and Youth Services**, adds \$64,321.

16. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01801) with Kedren Community Health Center, Inc. dba Kedren Acute Psychiatric Hospital and Community Mental Health Center, adds \$42,857.**
17. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01820) with Penny Lane Centers dba Penny Lane, adds \$157,143.**
18. **Amendment No. 3 (DMH-01829) with SHIELDS For Families, Inc., adds \$50,000.**
19. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01833) with Star View Adolescent Center, Inc., adds \$64,321.**
20. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01839) with Stirling Academy, Inc. dba Stirling Behavioral Health Institute, adds \$42,857.**
21. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01848) with Vista Del Mar Child and Family Services, adds \$15,000.**

***The following five (5) amendments to Legal Entity Agreements (22 to 26) add EPSDT – CGF Growth Match funds, EPSDT – FFP Medi-Cal funds, and EPSDT – SGF funds to the MCA for the delivery of Countywide, community-based children's mental health services:***

22. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01659) with VIP Community Mental Health Center, adds EPSDT – CGF Growth Match funds in the amount of \$52,100, EPSDT – FFP Medi-Cal funds in the amount of \$520,600, and EPDST – SGF funds in the amount of \$468,500, for a combined total increase of \$1,041,200 to the MCA.**
23. **Amendment No. 2 (DMH-01778) with El Centro De Amistad, Inc., adds EPSDT – CGF Growth Match funds in the amount of \$18,700, EPSDT – FFP Medi-Cal funds in the amount of \$187,000, and EPDST – SGF funds in the amount of \$168,300, for a combined total increase of \$374,000 to the MCA.**
24. **Amendment No. 2 (DMH-01801) with Kedren Community Health Center, Inc. dba Kedren Acute Psychiatric Hospital and Community Mental Health Center, adds EPSDT – CGF Growth Match funds in the amount of \$10,500, EPSDT – FFP Medi-Cal funds in the amount of \$105,500, and EPDST – SGF funds in the amount of \$94,900, for a combined total increase of \$210,900 to the MCA.**

25. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01834) with St. Anne's**, adds EPSDT – CGF Growth Match funds in the amount of \$25,000, EPSDT – FFP Medi-Cal funds in the amount of \$250,000, and EPDST – SGF funds in the amount of \$225,000, for a combined total increase of \$500,000 to the MCA.
26. **Amendment No. 1 (DMH-01842) with Tobinworld**, adds EPSDT – CGF Growth Match funds in the amount of \$25,000, EPSDT – FFP Medi-Cal funds in the amount of \$249,500, and EPDST – SGF funds in the amount of \$224,500, for a combined total increase of \$499,000 to the MCA.
27. **Amendment No. 1 to Medi-Cal Professional Services Agreements with three (3) individual providers**, adds the Board-mandated clauses: Notice to Employees Regarding the Safely Surrendered Baby Law and Contractor's Acknowledgment of County's Commitment to the Safely Surrendered Baby Law.
28. **Amendment No. 2 to Medi-Cal Professional Services Agreements with three (3) individual providers**, adds additional HIPAA language; adds a Guide to Procedure Codes and includes a "crosswalk" of technical terms, definitions, and language; deletes Exhibits B, B-1, B-2, and B-3 and replaces them with a Trading Partner Agreement; and adds Electronic Data Interchange/Direct Data Entry (EDI/DDE) Selection, General Requirements Agreement, and Claim Submission Agreement.
29. **Amendment No. 3 to Medi-Cal Professional Services Agreements with three (3) individual providers**, changes the Contractor's Exclusion from Participation in a Federally Funded Program language, adds Attestation form, and includes the Board-mandated Preamble.
30. **Amendment No. 4 to Medi-Cal Professional Services Agreements with three (3) individual providers**, changes the Contractor's Exclusion from Participation in a Federally Funded Program language, adds Attestation form, and includes the Board-mandated Preamble.
31. **Amendment No. 4 to Medi-Cal Professional Services Agreements with three (3) individual providers**, temporarily adds provisional payment language for the period effective October 16, 2003, until the Integrated System (IS) is fully functional and adds contract language in regards to "No Payment for Services Provider Following Expiration/Termination of Contract."

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